

**South Dakota Public Utilities Commission**  
**WEEKLY FILINGS**  
**For the Period November 29, 2007 through December 5, 2007**

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**ONE CALL**

**OC07-009     In the Matter of the Complaint filed by Northern Natural Gas Company, Omaha, Nebraska, against Bowes Construction, Inc. Brookings, South Dakota.**

On December 5, 2007, the South Dakota One Call Notification Board received a filing of a complaint by James R. Talcott of Northern Natural Gas Company, Omaha, Nebraska. According to the complaint, although a locate ticket was called in Bowes Construction, Inc. prematurely began excavation work in the NW ¼ of Section 14, Township 110 North, Range 51 West, Brookings County, South Dakota, prior to the marking of facilities.

One Call Executive Director: Larry Englerth  
Staff Attorney: Kara Semmler  
Date Filed: 12/05/07

**ELECTRIC**

**EL07-035     In the Matter of the Petition of Northern States Power Company Regarding the Accounting Treatment for Nuclear Refueling Outage Costs.**

On December 5, 2007, Northern States Power Company d/b/a Xcel Energy filed a petition with the Commission seeking a decision regarding a proposed accounting method for planned refueling outages at three nuclear plants. Xcel is seeking to change from direct-expense accounting to a deferral-and-amortization method. Xcel is also seeking confidential treatment of its Forecast Outage Refueling Schedule and Amortization of Reload O&M Costs.

Staff Analysts: Dave Jacobson/Brian Rounds  
Staff Attorney: Karen Cremer  
Date Filed: 12/05/07  
Intervention Deadline: 01/04/08

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